ABSTRACT

A print control apparatus 100 reducing the time needed for searching files and including a division unit 101a obtaining the print data 401 from outside the print control apparatus 100 and dividing the print data 401 into division files 104a. The print control apparatus 100 also including a storage unit 104 that has an area storing the division files 104a, an R/W unit 101b writing the division files 104a obtained by the division unit 101a in the storage unit 104 and a file management unit 101c hierarchizing and managing the plural division files 104a to be written in the storage unit 104 by the R/W unit 101b, and searching division files 104a based on the layers in a hierarchy.

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